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**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Horst Fischer et al.  
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Commissioner for Patents:

In supplement to the response to the Final Office Action filed on June 23, 2005,  
please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 7 of this paper and include  
attached New Sheets.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 8 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.